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Embassy Officer took up cusstion Soviet flights to Guba promptly upon receipt REFREL and followed up on matter



SEmbassy Officer then inquired concerning press reports to effect Foreign Minister had had discussions recently with Greek ship owners conserming Cuba shipments. At that time they had reportedly pointed to problems involved in time charters already signed with the Bloc and complications involved in breaking such contracts.

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